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TAGS: EIND, ETRD, AO, PO

SUBJECT: ANGOLAN FERROUS SCRAP IMPORTS FROM U.S.

REF: LISBON 0694

1. WORKING-LEVEL SNA CONTACT HAS SHOWN CONGEN OFFICER SNA INTERNAL PLANNING DOCUMENT WHICH CONFIRMS FACT COMPANY WISHES IMPORT 30,000 ST FERROUS SCRAP DURING 1974. FIRST IMPORT, 10,000 ST, "SCHEDULED" FOR MARCH; BALANCE (I.E. 20,000 ADDITIONAL ST) IN TWO TRANCHES LATER IN YEAR. SNA ALSO SHOWED US RECENT LTR FROM MITSUI (PORTUGAL) OFFERING SELL FIRST 10,000 ST CONTINGENT ON REQUIRED "U.S. OR CANADIAN" EXPORT LICENSES.

2. PROGNOSIS APRIL SHUTDOWN UNLESS ANGOLA QUOTA RAISED IS OVERLY PESSIMISTIC, BUT ONLY SLIGHTLY. WHILE CIVIL CONSTRUCTION WOULD NOT CEASE IF SNA PLANT CLOSED, IT WOULD SLOW CONSIDERABLY TO SERIOUS DETRIMENT LOW-PAID AND ALMOST ENTIRELY BLACK WORK FORCE.

3. COMMENT: WE ANTICIPATE DETRIMENTAL EFFECT ON ECONOMY IF SCRAP EXPORTS DENIED, WITH CONSEQUENT POLITICAL REPERCUSSIONS. CONGEN STRONGLY SUPPORTS RECOMMENDATION LAST PARA REFTEL. BRIGGS

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